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# Why do we have to go to school?



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## Chapter 1 by \*-\*

Why do we have to go to school. We have to go to school to get our education, learn, and to meet friends. If we did not have school people would not know how to do most things. Education is everywhere you go. You just do not notice it at all.

## Chapter 2 by TraderVic12



But do not be fooled.

School is not everything. It is there to grant you the basic knowledge of the world and to give you perspective, so that when you choose a path in life, it is an informed decision.

But school is not everything. In fact, to perfect your skill, be it art or craft or a job you love, you must leave school and focus. Education is everywhere you go, but you will never be able to go everywhere. You make a choice, and if it is a good one, you stick to it and learn by doing the thing you love. You can't be writer if you do not write, and you can't be a painter if you do not sing. So sometimes school, teaching you bits of absolutely everything, can be a hindrance on your way to greatness.

But we go to school anyways, because before you can make that important choice, you have to know that there is a choice to make. So we go to school.

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Chapter 3 by Desmond Jr.



And so it begins. Charles Arthur, now 18, (that's me by the way) went to Brave Elementary, Strong Middle, and Heart High. Nothing to learn, but math, history, and the ways of life. Chats at lunch about dreams for the future and how to change the world seemed like plans for the next decade.

And outside of school, hang outs were filled with endless nights of conversations with friends and the stars hanging in the clearest of skies. Sometimes with beer, sometimes at play grounds, sometimes at house parties, sometimes in downtown with the sound of rolling skateboards echoing in the streets at midnight.

"Time to get a job kid..." dad told him.

"Thanks Dad. I know." I replied.

Steph is going to Amour University to become a writer. Mike is going to Deeperhought to become a scientist. Carl and Eddie are going to Mission College to learn how to take over the world. In other words, start some sort of corporation or something.

And me, I'm staying right here. I have to take my time while I pretend it doesn't hurt. I'm not an idiot, I didn't waste my time, life just took its turns and I'm just where I am, living an honest life as our paths divide.

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